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## ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

2012-2016 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

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Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	Houston city, Texas			
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	2,240,582	+/-222	2,240,582	(X)
Male	1,122,794	+/-3,761	50.1%	+/-0.2
Female	1,117,788	+/-3,771	49.9%	+/-0.2
Under 5 years	175,167	+/-2,641	7.8%	+/-0.1
5 to 9 years	161,863	+/-2,913	7.2%	+/-0.1
10 to 14 years	146,045	+/-2,250	6.5%	+/-0.1
15 to 19 years	138,960	+/-2,294	6.2%	+/-0.1
20 to 24 years	178,201	+/-2,976	8.0%	+/-0.1
25 to 34 years	404,491	+/-3,270	18.1%	+/-0.1
35 to 44 years	313,765	+/-2,962	14.0%	+/-0.1
45 to 54 years	272,289	+/-2,936	12.2%	+/-0.1
55 to 59 years	126,156	+/-2,617	5.6%	+/-0.1
60 to 64 years	104,633	+/-2,372	4.7%	+/-0.1
65 to 74 years	128,610	+/-1,646	5.7%	+/-0.1
75 to 84 years	64,267	+/-1,424	2.9%	+/-0.1
85 years and over	26,135	+/-1,106	1.2%	+/-0.1
Median age (years)	32.7	+/-0.1	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	1,673,285	+/-3,327	74.7%	+/-0.1
21 years and over	1,585,683	+/-3,529	70.8%	+/-0.2
62 years and over	277,428	+/-2,620	12.4%	+/-0.1
65 years and over	219,012	+/-1,678	9.8%	+/-0.1
18 years and over	1,673,285	+/-3,327	1,673,285	(X)
Male	833,014	+/-3,482	49.8%	+/-0.2
Female	840,271	+/-3,150	50.2%	+/-0.2
65 years and over	219,012	+/-1,678	219,012	(X)
Male	93,580	+/-1,196	42.7%	+/-0.4

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Female	125,432	+/-1,236	57.3%	+/-0.4
RACE				
Total population	2,240,582	+/-222	2,240,582	(X)
One race	2,195,596	+/-2,772	98.0%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	44,986	+/-2,798	2.0%	+/-0.1
One race	2,195,596	+/-2,772	98.0%	+/-0.1
White	1,305,482	+/-7,124	58.3%	+/-0.3
Black or African American	511,398	+/-4,774	22.8%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	8,047	+/-1,129	0.4%	+/-0.1
Cherokee tribal grouping	530	+/-146	0.0%	+/-0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	70	+/-83	0.0%	+/-0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	247	+/-240	0.0%	+/-0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	19	+/-30	0.0%	+/-0.1
Asian	149,265	+/-3,326	6.7%	+/-0.1
Asian Indian	34,149	+/-2,166	1.5%	+/-0.1
Chinese	34,088	+/-1,777	1.5%	+/-0.1
Filipino	10,917	+/-1,258	0.5%	+/-0.1
Japanese	2,929	+/-590	0.1%	+/-0.1
Korean	6,752	+/-936	0.3%	+/-0.1
Vietnamese	38,619	+/-2,456	1.7%	+/-0.1
Other Asian	21,811	+/-2,345	1.0%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1,256	+/-301	0.1%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian	463	+/-206	0.0%	+/-0.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	462	+/-199	0.0%	+/-0.1
Samoa	179	+/-99	0.0%	+/-0.1
Other Pacific Islander	152	+/-96	0.0%	+/-0.1
Some other race	220,148	+/-7,157	9.8%	+/-0.3
Two or more races	44,986	+/-2,798	2.0%	+/-0.1
White and Black or African American	9,740	+/-1,295	0.4%	+/-0.1
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	5,876	+/-967	0.3%	+/-0.1
White and Asian	11,266	+/-1,145	0.5%	+/-0.1
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	1,740	+/-535	0.1%	+/-0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	2,240,582	+/-222	2,240,582	(X)
White	1,341,490	+/-7,294	59.9%	+/-0.3
Black or African American	528,242	+/-4,765	23.6%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	18,295	+/-1,734	0.8%	+/-0.1
Asian	166,035	+/-3,109	7.4%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3,245	+/-597	0.1%	+/-0.1
Some other race	231,430	+/-7,096	10.3%	+/-0.3
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	2,240,582	+/-222	2,240,582	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	992,886	+/-5,385	44.3%	+/-0.2
Mexican	733,968	+/-6,753	32.8%	+/-0.3
Puerto Rican	12,072	+/-1,239	0.5%	+/-0.1
Cuban	13,094	+/-1,665	0.6%	+/-0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	233,752	+/-6,853	10.4%	+/-0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,247,696	+/-5,397	55.7%	+/-0.2
White alone	562,237	+/-4,404	25.1%	+/-0.2
Black or African American alone	501,035	+/-4,690	22.4%	+/-0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	3,066	+/-485	0.1%	+/-0.1
Asian alone	148,157	+/-3,311	6.6%	+/-0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	1,044	+/-277	0.0%	+/-0.1

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Some other race alone	4,049	+/-821	0.2%	+/-0.1
Two or more races	28,108	+/-2,126	1.3%	+/-0.1
Two races including Some other race	1,987	+/-547	0.1%	+/-0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	26,121	+/-1,941	1.2%	+/-0.1
Total housing units	937,245	+/-2,451	(X)	(X)
CITIZEN, VOTING AGE POPULATION				
Citizen, 18 and over population	1,249,283	+/-6,372	1,249,283	(X)
Male	602,705	+/-4,154	48.2%	+/-0.2
Female	646,578	+/-4,267	51.8%	+/-0.2

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2010 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin: 2010, issued March 2011. (pdf format)

While the 2012-2016 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2012-2016 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

#### Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '\*\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '\*\*\*\*\*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.